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In re Application of: )

Joël RICHARD et al. )

Group Art Unit: 1615

Application No.: 10/049,186 )

Examiner: Gollamudi S. KISHORE

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Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of July 25, 2003. The items checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$950.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	39	-	33	6	x \$ 18	\$ 108.00
Indep.	4	-	3	1	x \$ 86	86.00
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Subtotal						\$ 194.00
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						- 0.00
TOTAL						\$ 194.00


- ☒ A fee of \$194.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☒ A fee of \$950.00 to cover a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$1,144.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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